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A BIG MASONIC GATHERING AT ROCHESTER

Grand Council, Princess of Jerusalem, Have Special Convocation, With Dover and Portsmouth Taking Part.

A special convocation of the Grand Council Princes of Jerusalem, Valley of Portsmouth and Dover, was held on Thursday at the Masonic Temple in Rochester, and it was the biggest Masonic event held in that city for some time. There was a special train from this city via Dover and many, including the officers, went up on the morning train and were the guests of the Rochester Masons.

A meeting was held at 4.30 in the afternoon when the business, such as balloting upon petitions and communications was taken care of.

In the evening the fifteenth grade, Knight of the East or Sword, was conferred in full form and ceremony on a large class.

The following is the personel of the Fifteenth Grade staff:

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West—P. M., Charles L. Went-

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PORTSMOUTH'S BIG STORE.

BOY TAGGED FOR HOME BY EXPRESS, RAYMOND TO LYNN

Had a Wait of Over Two Hours at the Station in This City

Charles Ross aged 5 years was not the lost boy on Thursday, on the other hand he was tagged as an express package and sent by the American express company from Raymond, N. H., to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, Essex street, Lynn. Charlie arrived here on the 2:33 p. m. over the Southern division from Raymond and was put in care of John Carter the famous train crier at the depot. John had Charlie for a good part of the day and his eagle eye was on the kid till 4:54 p. m., when he was landed on the Boston train for home.

Charlie had been staying at the farm of Albert Whitten, a friend of the family at Deerfield N. H. He became homesick, and yesterday morning Whitten hitched up the farm team and drove four miles to the rail road station, where he began to wonder if Charlie could make the trip home alone. Surely a 5 year old boy couldn't be expected to know when to leave the train. The train was nearing the station and there was no time for deliberation. It was then that a bright idea came to Whitten.

He walked into the express office and asked for a tag. On the tag he wrote: "For John Ross, 60 Essex street, Lynn, Mass." Then he tied the tag to the lapel of Charlie's coat. The train pulled in, and Charlie was lifted into the express car with numerous bags, packages and cans of milk.

On the way home he didn't cry once. In fact, he had a good time. He told the expressmen in the car all about raising chickens and other things and acquired some knowledge of railroad operation. In addition to all this, two men gave him a nickle each, and another bought him some candy. He was a tired, but laughing and eager, boy when he was lifted from the express car at Lynn at 7:30 o'clock last night.

Charlie's mother had been expecting him and had gone to the station to meet incoming trains twice during the afternoon. When he failed to appear she decided that he had put off coming until today and last night went to the theatre with her husband. The house was empty and dark when Charlie after a ride to the express office, was formally delivered at his home.

JOINT ARRANGEMENT OF THE TWO RAILROADS

Vice President Hobbs Tells How Burden is Carried

Concord, N. H., Jan. 26—Financial Vice President William J. Hobbs was again on the stand in the rate vestigation before the Public Service Commission, yesterday, for the purpose of furnishing information previously asked for by the counsel for the State. Mr. Hobbs stated that during the last fiscal year, the number of way bills for local or business entirely on the Boston and Maine line was 1,906,344, while the foreign or inter-line bills numbered 3,071,096, the former being 38 per cent of the total.

Mr. Hobbs then went into the matter of the readjustment of rates on the road since 1903 in order to meet the changed conditions. Class rates for freight were generally increased one cent per hundred pounds at that time by a vote of the board of directors passed July 16, 1903. Passenger rates upon certain divisions, some of them being in New Hampshire, were reduced Feb. 1, 1907. April 5, 1910, by vote of the board of directors, this latter class of rates were restored to the old standard. Mr. Hobbs said it was impossible to state just what amount the increases produced for the railroad in added receipts. He said that the reduction in passenger rates seemed to be justified by the report of the railroad for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, which showed that at that time revenues were on the increase resulting in a balance of $600,000 for that year over divided requirements. The Haven railroad had made reductions at the same time and there was a general demand for a similar reduction on the Boston and Maine. That road hoped to profit by an increase in business through this reduction. The increases in rates have been made as a result of the tremendous advance in wages and other increases in operating expenses.

Mr. Hollis asked Mr. Hobbs for facts as to joint ticket offices main-

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ELKS ORGANIZE STATE LODGE AND PLAN TO HOLD REUNIONS

A state lodge of Elks has been organized at Concord. The object is to hold reunions of all Elks in New Hampshire. The following officers were elected:

President, Timothy A. Sullivan, Manchester; vice president, John W. Woodworth, Concord; secretary, William B. McKay, Manchester; treasurer, J. D. Hallisey, Nashua; guard, Arthur J. O'Shea Laconia; executive committee, John F. Cahill, J. Percival Nichols, Concord; John H. Hayes, John C. Ryan, Manchester; Arthur L. Cyr, C. D. Spaulding, Nashua; William P. Nolin, J. W. Quirk Claremont; C. O. Downing, C. F. Maher, Laconia; John E. King, J. A. Toof, Keene; Edward J. Laffin, Oscar P. Cole, Berlin; William T. Entwistle, Ernest L. Chaney, Portsmouth; J. E. Dennie and Herbert Otis, Dover.

The delegates present were, Lawrence P. Leveroni, W. R. Smythe, J. A. Toof, Joseph Madden, John C. King, Keene; William A. Doherty, Timothy A. Sullivan, William J. McKay, Daniel F. Healy, Jr., John C. Ryan, John H. Hayes, Manchester; J. Hallisey, A. O'Toole, Arthur L. Cyr, C. D. Spaulding, Nashua; Charles F. Maher, Natt L. Mitchell, Arthur J. O'Shea, William S. Dutton, Joseph H. Killourhy, Laconia; William P. Nolin, Claremont; John H. Sinclair, John W. Woodworth, J. William Sullivan, J. Percival Nichols, John L. Prescott and John F. Cahill, Concord.

PHELPS DIED IN THE CHAIR

Paid the Penalty for the Murder of Sheriff Haskins

NO LIFE AFTER SEVEN MINUTES

Murderer Meets Death Calmly and Said Nothing When Placed in Electric Chair

Boston, Jan. 26—Silas N. Phelps, the Munroe Bridge outlaw was electrocuted at the Charlestown state prison this morning for the killing of Deputy Sheriff Emmet F. Haskins at Munroe Bridge on June 12, 1910. The current was turned on at 12:15:55 and the man was pronounced dead by the physicians at 12:22:15 a. m.

Phelps met his death clamly. Preceded by Chaplain Herbert W. Stebbins of the state prison he walked into the death chamber with head erect and eyes straight in front of him. He said nothing when in the chair and his lips remained firmly closed when the electrodes that were to carry the death dealing current were being strapped to him.

As he began his last march from his cell to the death room, Phelps listened to the reading of the Scriptures by the Rev. Mr. Stebbins, who read in a low clear voice from the Third chapter of the gospel of St. John, verse 14, 15 and 16. As Phelps took his seat in the chair, the chaplain turned to Isaiah 18 verse. Phelps did not hear the verse concluded.

At 12:15:55 1000 volts of electricity were turned on. This current was kept on for eight seconds. Then a lesser current of 300 volts shot through him and kept on for twenty-two seconds. Then the current was raised to 1000 and again reduced to 300. At 12:22:15 he was pronounced dead.

The witnesses to the execution were the three physicians required by law, Drs. Joseph McLaughlin of the prison; George P. McGrath, medical examiner for Suffolk county, and Charles C. Foster, surgeon general of Massachusetts; together with High Sheriff Edson J. Pratt of Franklin county, the man who succeeded Sheriff Haskins whom Phelps shot; James B. Bridge, special sheriff of Franklin county; Charles Richardson, master of the house of correction at Greenfield, where Phelps was confined previous to his being removed to the state prison; Warden Benjamin F. Bridges, his deputy, N. O. Allen, Chaplain Herbert W. Stebbins, and a newspaper representative.

Within half an hour after the governor's council refused a commutation of sentence or further reprieve yesterday afternoon Phelps was informed that the sentence would be executed upon him. He was writing a letter at the time. As Sheriff Quinn entered the cell, Phelps looked up.

"Writing letters?" asked the sheriff.

Phelps nodded.

"Then," continued the sheriff kindly, "perhaps home and any others that you may wish. They may be the last."

Phelps understood. His face paled and he remained quiet and thoughtful for a few moment. Then he asked for the chaplain, who came and remained with him until the last moment.

There was no bravado about him at the end. He seemed a changed man from the time the word was taken to him that he must die.

Phelps went to his death without performing an act which he had intended to do, that his arguments against those he felt had been instrumental in bringing him to death might live after him. That was the signing of a voluminous statement in which he expressed his opinion of those witnesses who had appeared against him at his trial.

Shortly before entering the death cell at Charlestown this statement was given to Maj. Thomas L. Walsh

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ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Interesting Items Gleaned from Near-by Places

EXETER

Exeter, Jan. 26—Mrs. Jennie M. Wiggin, aged 77 years, widow of Benaiah Wiggin, died Wednesday evening at her home in Stratham. She was a native of Corinth, Me., but had lived in Stratham for the past fifty years. Wiggin was also her family name, she being the daughter of Gideon and Elizabeth Wiggin. She is survived by two sons, Joseph M. and Howard M. Wiggin, both of Stratham.

There is to be no more superior court until Monday morning, when Judge Wallace will return for the hearing of court cases. There are several of the court cases of much interest this term and court will probably be in session for at least two weeks longer.

The Thursday club of Phillips church met yesterday afternoon, the subject being "Good Old Times" by the pastor, Rev. Dr. S. H. Dana. The hostesses were Mrs. H. A. Ross, Margaret Amen, Mrs S. P. Chase and Mrs. H. L. Sweet.

Irving Bachellor, the well known author, spoke last evening at the town hall on "The Cheerful Yankee." He came here under the auspices of the Merrill free lecture course and was greeted by a large audience.

At the regular meeting of Wehanownowit Tribe of Red Men last evening the warrior's and hunter's degree was worked on a class.

Frank Bitmoski has bought the Shaltery property on River street, which makes quite a large amount which he has purchased in that locality of late.

One new member has been taken into the Third Company, Coast Artillery corps, and the company reports to be in fine condition and in full military standing.

George E. Beede, aged about 40, residing at West Epping, was pronounced insane after a medical examination by Drs. Lowe of Fremont and Guptill of Raymond, and was taken to the asylum at Concord yesterday. Mr. Beede has not been feeling very well for three or four weeks and at times appeared a little absent minded. Last Sunday his illness took on a more serious turn and he made one or two attempts to take his life.

BITS OF SPORT

Ping Bodie of the Chicago White Sox made thirty homes runs in California during the season of 1910. When asked on the coast recently why he didn't accomplish a similar feat in the American league last season he said: "How could I, when they heard I had signed with the White Sox, the managers of the other teams moved the fences back."

This is a sample of the winter praise bestowed upon new Red recruits in Cincinnati: "Pitcher Dahlgren of Wisconsin will prove a world-beater for Hank O'Day. He is a tall skinny fellow, 6 feet 4 inches in his socks, and weighs only 155 pounds He is raw boned and powerful. The curves thrown by this longlegged righthander are wonderful and his speed is terrific." Cincinnati's opinion of this phenomenon in about three months will be interesting.

John M. Ward president of the Boston National, says that in Pitcher Tyler he has one of the best left-handers in the profession. Kling also has a high opinion of Tyler, who is a big fellow with a puzzling cross-fire delivery and remarkabl curves.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Portsmouth, N. H.,
Jan. 25, 1912.

Editor of Herald:—

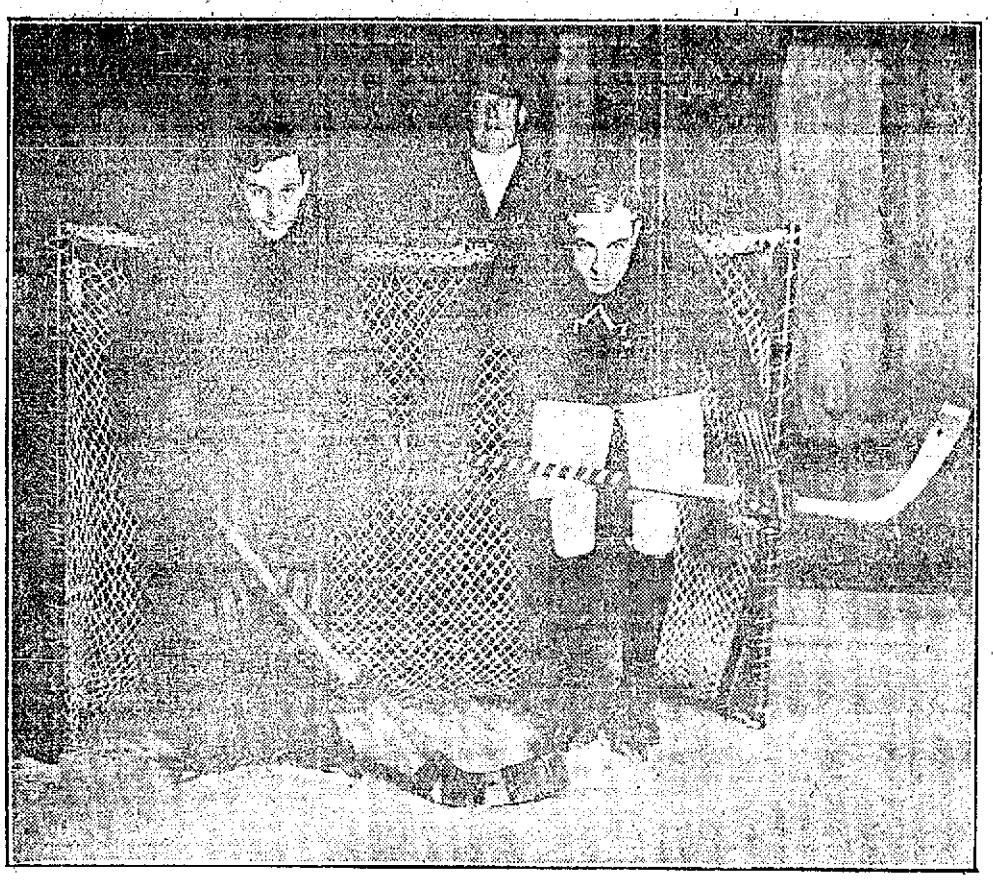
Dear Sir:—I ask the privilege of taking some exceptions in the columns of your valuable paper to some statements of a letter, published in your issue of the 24th inst., from Mr. John F. Hoyt of Newington to Clarence V. T. Richeson, the self confessed slayer of Miss Avis Linnell.

As a lover of truth and one who is bound by the blood of the "Everlasting Covenant" to defend the truths of the Gospel I cannot allow this public letter to go unchallenged. In the first place, Mr. Hoyt says, the truth is, "God does not stoop to the cold formality of forgiving" and he cites the parable of the Prodigal Son to prove that the Father "eliminated all question of forgiveness' and took the Son immediately to Himself. Now I maintain that the truth is rather, that the son had first of all to say 'Father, I have sinned and am no more worthy to be called thy son,' making it plain that there had first to be distinct conviction or sin, true repentance, a clear apprehension of unworthiness and a forsaking of sin and all his ways and returning to the Father, and if that is not the truth according to the Word of God we may as well burn up our Bibles and close our churches for we don't need them in that case and Christ has died for nothing. I notice that Mr. Hoyt's aim seems to be to convince this murderer that we are all his "brothers" but I, for one, take exceptions to that. I would respectfully call his attention to St. Matthew's gospel 12:49,50 where Christ answered those who told him his mother and brethren waited without to see him who his mother and brethren were, viz:—"who soever shall do the will of my Father which is in Heaven the same as my mother and my brethren." Then if he will turn to John 3:3 he will find Christ's answer to Nicodemus. "Except a man be born again he cannot see the kingdom of God," and the Word of God distinctly teaches that we are all born children of the devil and must be born again "of water and the spirit" to become the children of God and that regeneration can only take place by receiving Christ as our Saviour and through His blood which He says, was "shed for the remission of sins" receiving "adoption of sons," "for as many as received Him to them gave He power to become the sons of God."

My point is that although Mr. Hoyt makes no mention in his letter of Jesus Christ, the "mediator between God and man" since it has pleased God to declare that "no man cometh to the Father but by Him" (Christ) I do not think that either Mr. Hoyt nor Mr. Richeson will be able to eliminate Him from the transaction. Now while it is true that "we have all sinned and come short of the glory of God" it is equally true that our God of infinite justice has provided for a reconciliation between God and man. He has declared that "the soul that sinneth it shall die" and our only escape is by accepting the substitutional death of Jesus Christ as atonement for our guilt for in Him only is Justice completely satisfied. Remorse is not repentence. One can experience remorse simply from suffering punishment for sin while the removal of that punishment might be only the return to the same sinful ways. But true repentance is hatred of sin itself and hatred of ourselves because we have sinned and a longing desire to be rid of our sin. If Clarence V. T. Richeson has experieced true repentance there is hope for forgiveness but a confession which is only wrung from us as a last resort to save one from extreme punishment is not a sign of repentance toward God, which must be the first step toward reconciliation and which can only come by the power of the Holy Spirit and there is clearly a sin against that Spirit which is "unto death" and for which there can be no repentance as the sin of Esau who "found no repentance though he sought it carefully with many tears." I do not say that Richeson's is that sin but I do say that no one has any right to eliminate the question of forgiveness from God's plan of salvation nor belittle the enormity of sin nor the actuality of it for it is a very real thing in God's sight and something which it cost the Son of God the agony in the garden, the sweat drops of blood and the terrific suffering of the cross to blot out of the sight of God and it is not for us to be little that tremendous price of our redemption. A French officer, whose ship had been taken by Nelson was brought aboard Nelson's vessel and he walked up to the great admiral and gave him his hand. "No," said Nelson, "your sword first please." That is the gospel, and Paul says, "if we or an angel from Heaven preach any other gospel let him be accursed."

L. M.

WITH ROUGH PLAY ELIMINATED ICE HOCKEY IS MUCH BETTER GAME



New York, Jan. 26—Wonderful improvement has been shown in the ice hockey played in New York this season over former years. It is cleaner than previously and holds the interest of the spectators more than ever. Before play was made continuous games frequently dragged out, thus making it tire some for the players as well as spectators, but under new conditions shorter contests rule. Rough play in the past did much to hurt the game, but so far this year comparatively few penalities have been inflicted upon players because of unsportsmanlike tactics. The early games have been much cleaner, and players are beginning to realize that rough house hockey doesn't pay. The race in the Amateur Hockey league in this city is one of the most interesting held in years. No team stands out as a sure winner at present. The Wanderers are leading by a small margin, with the St. Nicholas A. C. in second place and the Crescent A. C. third. Picture shows two N. Y. A. C. players guarding goal. Woods, on left, plays goal; Smeaton, on right, cover point.

DEATHS FROM YELLOW FEVER MAKES GOVERNMENT MOVE

Washington, Jan. 25. The death from yellow fever yesterday at Guayaquil, Ecuador, of Commander Levi C. Bertolette, in command of the American gunboat Yorktown, guarding American interests there, will result in the American Government insisting upon the sanitation of that port. The death of the commander and of an enlisted man, and the illness of three other enlisted men, has impressed the Government with the necessity for prompt action. Should Ecuador temporize, it is said that the United States may issue a quarantine against Guayaquil in the interests particularly of the Panama canal. Upon receipt of the news of the death of Commander Bertolette the Navy Department was notified that peace had been sufficiently restored in Ecuador to permit the withdrawal of the Yorktown. Secretary Meyer thereupon issued orders to the gunboat to proceed at once to Santa Elena, 110 miles west of Guayaquil to intercept the cruiser Maryland as she approaches that port.

PHELPS DIED IN THE CHAIR

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of Clinton, a member of the governor's staff, who has been deeply interested in this case. It is said to have covered forty pages of legal foolscap. It was intended that this should be signed by Phelps before he died. But Major Walsh took the statement home with him to Clinton tonight and at a late hour telephoned Warden Bridges that he would forward it to the prison by special messenger to be signed.

The manuscript had not reached the prison at midnight when the death march to the execution chamber was begun and was never signed

CHAPMAN IS RELEASED

Will Make His Home in West Peabody Hereafter

William Chapman, who has for some time been at the state asylum at Concord under observation, has been released. On Wednesday Chapman and his mother were in this city, on their way to West Peabody, where they will hereafter make their home.

WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, Jan. 25—Forecast for Northern New England—Fair Friday warmer in west portion; Saturday fair, warmer, moderate northwest and north winds.

Local forecast for Portsmouth vicinity—Fair Friday; Saturday generally fair; warmer; moderate westerly to southerly winds.

FOR SALE.

The undersigned, representing the heirs at law of the late Charlotte A. Tucker, offers for sale the three-story brick house on State street formerly occupied by her. For particulars inquire of

JOHN H. BARTLETT,
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COUNCIL MEETING POSTPONED UNTIL MONDAY

The regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council, which was to have been held last evening, was postponed owing to lack of a quorum and it will be held on Monday evening.

NEW BOOKS IN LIBRARY.

The following are the additions made in January 1912 to the Public Library.

General Literature.

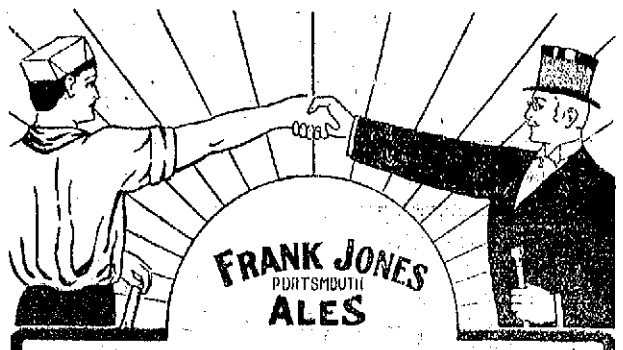
Anthony, S. B., and others. History of woman suffrage. 4 v. (Presented)
Belloc, Hilaire. The Frech Revolution.
Cambridge modern history. v 2 The reformation.
Clemenceau, Georges. South America today.
Doane, W. W. Insects and disease.
Fiedler, H. G. Oxford book of German verse.
Flandrau, C. M. Prejudices.
Gibbons, J. C. cardinal. Discourses and sermons. (Presented)
Green, A. S. Irish nationality.
Grew, J. C. Sport and travel in the far East.
Harrison, Newton. Electric wiring diagrams, and switchboards.
Hodges, George dean. Training of children in religion.
Ilbert, Sir C. P. Parliament; its history, constitution and practice.
Kullmeyer, Charles. How to become a citizen of the United States.
Lewis, M. H., and Chandler, A. H. Popular handbook for cement and concrete workers.
McFarland, Raymond. History of the New England fisheries.
Matthews, J. L. Lou of the Easy Way.
Mills, J. C. Searchlights on some American industries.
Nietsche, Friedrich. Beyond good and evil.
Raabe, Wilhelm. Else von der Tanne.
Radcliffe, W. H. and Cushing, W. C. Telephone construction, installation, operation, wiring and maintenance.
Riley, J. W. Lockerbie book.
Roberts, C. G. D. Neighbors unknown.
Rolland, Romain. Tolstoy.
Scott, D. H. Evolution of plants.
Vados, pseud. Belmont book.
West, G. H. Gothic architecture in England and France.
Wolcott, Y. H. 500 ways to help your church.

Fiction

Benson, E. F. Margery.
Castle, Agness and Egerton. The composer.
Cody, H. A. Fourth watch.
Coulevain, Pierre, pseud. On the branch.
Dickson, Harris. Old Reliable.
Fenn, R. W. Hidden empire.
Fitch, George. At gold Siwash.
Manning, Anne. Household of Sir Thomas More.
Miller, H. R. His rise to power.
Mitchell, F. M. John of Rainbow Springs.
Ollivant, Alfred. Taming of John Blunt.
Oppenheim, E. P. Peter Ruff and the double four.
Parker, L. N. Pomander Walk
Rinehart, M. R. Amazing adventures of Letitia Carberry.
Steiner, E. A. The broken wall.
Thurston, E. T. Garden of resurrection.
Webster, Jean. Just Patty.
Wharton, Edith. Ethan Frome.
White, S. E. Adventures of Bobby Orde.

For Young Readers

Barbour, R. H. Finkler's Feld.
Bartlett, F. O. Forest castaways.
Brown, H. D. Her sixteenth year.
Brown, H. D Little Miss Phoebe Gay.
Bullivant, C. H. Home fun.
Buxton, E. M. Wilmot. Sotyer of the crusades.
Canfield, W W. White Seneca.
Dier; J. C. ed. Children's book of Christmas.
Dix, B. M. Friends in the end.
Forrester, H.L. Polly Page ranch club.
Foster, O. H. Sewing for little girls.
Greenaway, Kate. Marigold garden
Greenaway, Kate. Under the window.
Headland, I. T. Chinese boy and girl.
Hill, F. T. On the trail of Grant and Lee.
Lansing, M. F. Barbarian and noble.
Martin, F. E., and Davis, G. M. Firebrands.
Mott, S. M. Indoors and out.
Newell, Peter. Pictures and rhymes
Quirk, L. W. Freshman Dorn, pitcher.
Scelye, E. E. Sieur of Washington.



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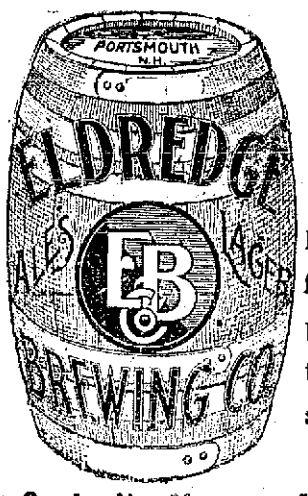

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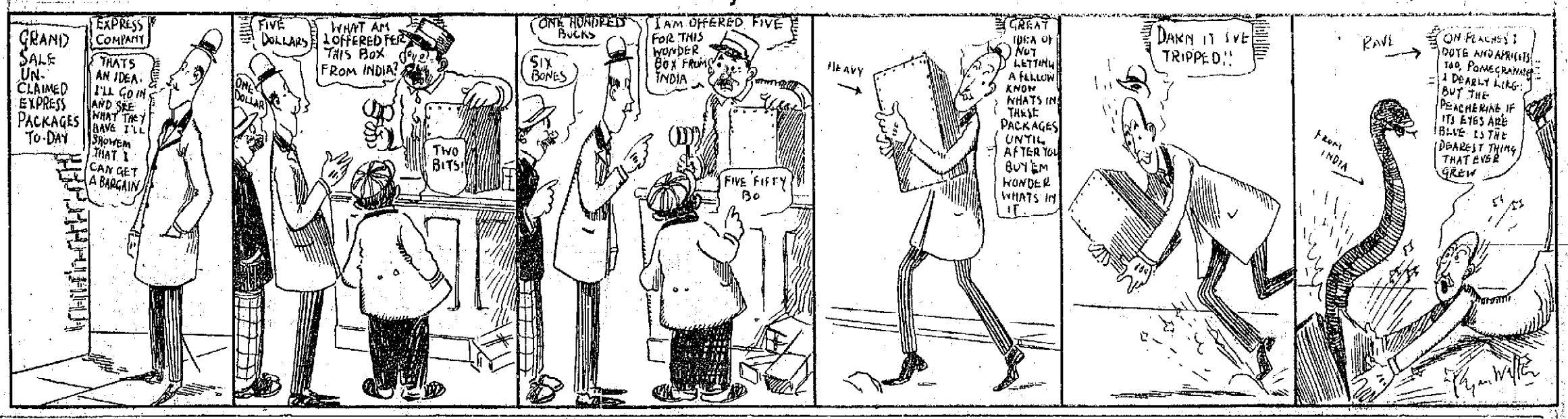

DEVELOP THE CHILD'S BODY THE MIND WILL FOLLOW

Surgeon MacAusland Points Out the Danger to Children Before Business Men at Y. M. C. A.

Despite the counter attractions there was a large gathering at the Y. M. C. A. Business Men's supper on Thursday evening and they heard one of the best addresses of the series. Dr. A. B. Sherburne presided and the speaker was Dr. W. R. MacAusland of Boston, one of the best known surgeons in New England and authority on his line of surgery.

Dr. MacAusland's address was one that was of especial interest, as it had to do with the health and development of the human body. He spoke so that the laymen could understand him thoroughly, although dealing with a scientific subject, and it is a pity that his address, with the lantern slide illustrations, could not be heard by the parents of school children, as he devoted considerable time to describing the cause of the deformities which result from slight defects in the child, that could be corrected early in life, thereby preventing the lack of growth physically and mentally.

He illustrated his talk with a series of lantern slides, showing the deformity of feet, and body, and in a very interesting manner he described the cause and the remedy for the trouble. Summed up it was a scholarly and brilliant address by a speaker who demonstrated that he thoroughly understood his subject.

Dr. MacAusland said in part:

An old Greek myth has it that Apollo was the God of Medicine, but that his son, Aesculapius, rivaled him in the healing art so far that he could recall the dead to life. Of course, these miracles did not long remain concealed from Jupiter's all-seeing eye; and he, fearing lest the people would forget him and worship their physician, seized one of his thunderbolts, hurled it at the clever youth, and thus brought to an untimely end his medical career. Aesculapius race was not extinct, however, for he left two sons who inherited his medical skill—and a daughter, Hygeia, who watched zealously over the health of man.

This little story of unknown origin is significant, in that it proves for us, that the Greeks had discovered that there were laws governing health and Hygiene many generations before they gave to the world those wonderful cultural products of the days of Pericles. The advance of any science of medicine or surgery beyond hygiene was hindered among the Greeks by their feelings respecting the body which caused them to look with horror upon any mutilation of it. There is indeed a wide interval between the practice of medicine and surgery in Pagan antiquity, and the practice of the science among us today, but there is at least one thing we may learn from the people who with fine bodies working in harmony with fine minds produced the finest culture the world has ever seen.

In the first place the Greeks could not conceive of a beautiful mind dwelling in anything less than a beautiful body as the dwelling place of an unlovely mind. In this last belief they were frequently deceived, but it is significant that they held such an idea, and that whenever they represented a Greek in a statue they represented him beautiful and perfect as one of their Gods. A barbarian, on the other hand, was always represented with his body bent and his limbs crooked and curled up in such a fashion that anyone might know that the mind which worked with that body was bent and warped also.

Today we are inclined to resent any theory that makes a man responsible for the health and poise of his body. Men in general have not yet learned that the body is a wonderful and beautiful machine which works in certain fixed and irrevocable planes. When a single part, whether bone, joint, muscle, or nerve is interferred with the whole mechanism ceases to be perfect, and the work accomplished is below par.

You have already heard much of preventative medicine, especially with reference to the crusade against lung tuberculosis, but not so much about bone and joint tuberculosis and about other bone and joint conditions, which interefere particularly with physical development. It is of these that I would speak. They are conditions found in every class of society, among adults as well as children. They are due to lack of proper development and to infections which enter the body when it lacks power of resistance.

When a tubercular condition arises in any joint it often results in deformity. With our modern methods in surgery the deformity can often be corrected, but more or less impairment of function necessarily follows. Other infections in the joints enter the body through tonsils, adenoids, intestinal and urinary tracts. These infections often result in so-called rheumatic fever, which often leaves the patient crippled.

Aside from the joint troubles which come through infections, there are many others caused by improper dress. You all know how much foot trouble there is among us. The cause is not far to seek. You remember the Greeks wore sandals. The Greek statue shows a foot with a marked deflexion of the great toe. Compare this condition of freedom with the foot that has been encased in the shoe of fashion of today, and you will not think we are much ahead of the Chinese.

A series of other joint affections such as knock-knees, bow-legs, club-foot and other deformities of the lower extremities are conditions which also interfere with physical endurance and well being. All of these deformities are possible of correction.

Before showing you some lantern slides, I should say a word about the prevention of these joint conditions in children. It is a well known fact that diseased tonsils can be the cause of rheumatism. It is equally true that enlargement of the tonsils and adenoid tissue may be responsible for round shoulders, poor chest development and mental inertia that we find in so many of our school children today. Such children are fit subjects for infections, such as tuberculosis, scarlet fever, measles, and whooping-cough. I cannot emphasize too strongly the importance of safe guarding our children against these conditions by proper school inspections. Much may also be done by popular instruction on hygiene in connection with routine school work.

It is well to teach children to love what is true and beautiful, but it is essential to remember to develop a mind with balance and harmony. We had best have a body that has symetry and proportion.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Many Mis Matad Couples Given Their Freedom

The following divorces granted at the January term of the superior court by Chief Justice Wallace were made public today by Clerk Charles H. Knight and are as follows:

—William A. Prosser from Madeline A., both of Portsmouth, for abandonment; Teresa G. Belmer from Frank W., both of Salem, for abandonment; Mary P. Donnell from Frederick S., both of Hampton, for abandonment; Minnie B. David from George F., both of Portsmouth, for abandonment; Herbert R. Westover from Elsie E., both of Candia, for conduct injurious to health; Franklin I. Knight from Hattie E., both of Atkinson, for abandonment.

COMPLAINT FROM CITIZENS

The Public Service Commission is in receipt of a complaint from citizens of Berlin vs. Coos Telephone company, regarding service and rates.

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ENSIGN HOVEY'S BRAVERY TOLD IN GENERAL ORDERS

How Ensign Charles E. Hovey led a handful of followers in an attack on a band of Moro outlaws on Sept. 24 fought almost single-handed with a score of them and died whispering the command to a hospital apprentice, "Get on the job McGuire," is thrillingly told in General Order No. 138, issued over the name of George von L. Meyer, Secretary of the Navy. The young naval officer's last thought was for his wounded followers, and when the scouts arrived on the scene McGuire, although shot himself, had finished giving first aid.

For their heroism the department has awarded medals of honor and gratuities of $100 to Jacob Velz, carpenter's mate, third class; Fred Henry McGuire, hospital apprentice; Golden R. Harrison, seaman; George F. Henrechon, machinist's mate, second class, and John Hugh Catherwood, ordinary seaman. In addition to these men Ensign Hovey had with him a Yavan guide and private Nisperes of the Philippine Scouts.

The fight, according to a report from the commanding officer of the Pampanga, to which vessel Ensign Hovey was attached, took place on Basilan Island. Ensign Hovey, the guide and the scout soldier, on spie a group of shacks where Moros were hidden, advanced three hundred yards ahead of the others. All three went down under the first fire of Moros, but were found fighting desperately when Volz, Henrechon, McGuire, Harrison and Catherwood rushed up.

Harrison, with a shotgun, killed three natives at one shot, and the others fired so quickly and clubbed so desperately that the Moros were soon routed. McGuire turned to aid his chief, but saw the ensign had died after telling him to attend to the others.

"The heroism and coolness shown by our men cannot be too highly commended," the commanding officer wrote. "I recommend that Catherwood, McGuire, Volz, Harrison and Henrechon be given medals of honor. The scout soldier, private Nisperes, had his right arm shot off above the elbow and was knocked down. He dug the stump of his arm in the ground and kept on firing his rifle. A flag, three guns and numerous spears were captured from the enemy."

HOLBROOK BLINN IN "THE BOSS"

Big New York Success at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, Next Week.

When "The Boss," the virile American play by Edward Sheldon is presented at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, for two weeks engagement, beginning Monday, Jan 29th, playgoers in and around Boston will see a remarkable stage production.

Sheldon showed his mastery in drawing character in "Salvation Nell" which Mrs. Fiske played so successfully, and in "The Nigger," one of the greatest dramatic triumphs at the New Theatre, New York "The Boss" is described as not one whit less powerful a play than its predecessors. The author has taken a typical boss a man what has grown rich as a contractor and a power among men in his community and has drawn a character that for startling fidelity to life rarely has been surpassed.

This man, Michael Regan, is portrayed by Holbrook Blinn, one of the cleverest players of characters on the American stage. Mr. Blinn's performance of Regan places him at the head of American plays who essay roles of this description. Regan not only fights his rival James D. Griswold, in a business way, but has the auracity to propose to his daughter and she accepts him in the hope of mitigating Regan's business antagonism against her father's firm. Regan however, will not permit his marital ties to interfere with his ambition, and he is on the point of crushing Griswold when his own business is seriously jeoparized by a strike, led by Donald Griswold, his wife's brother. This condition of things creates discord between Regan and his wife and there is many an unhappy moment for husband and wife until the latter learns that, concealed under her husband's seemingly brutal exterior, there is the heart and nobleness of a real man. Reconciliation finally comes, but not until both have been tried in the fire of worry and soul-racking trouble.

A handsome production is promised for "The Boss" and the company supporting Mr. Blinn embraces many well known players.

A BIG MASONIC GATHERING AT ROCHESTER

Continued from First Page.

worth; S. W., John K. Hatch; J. W., Benjamin Green; C. of G., Frederic W. Cross; Zerubbabell, Charles C. Smith; Herald, Marvin Weed; M. of P., Frank L. Pryor; K. of S., Fred B. Coleman; M. of C., Frederick Watkins; Guards, Ralph W. Junkins, Harry W. Peyser, John G. Parsons, Harry H. Foote, August Hett, Winfield Henry Chick, Everett N. McNabb, Thomas E. Wilson.

The staff were assisted by the Masonic quartet, Messrs. Ralph S. Parker, 1st tenor; John W. Mitchell, 2d tenor; Charles W. Gray, 1st bass; Horace P. Montgomery 2d bass, and the Masonic orchestra sextette, Chauncey B. Hoyt, Ira St. Clair, violins; William J. Kershaw, cello; Joseph Hodgdon, clarinet; Marvin Weed, cornet, and W. W. McIntire, organist and director.

The musical program was:

Prelude—Selections
Masonic Orchestral Sextette
Opening
Sunset, Van de Water
The Angel of the Lord, Bennert.
Masonic Quartette
Ritualistic Music—
A health to King Cyrus, Prothedo
A Hebrew Lament, Morfa Rhuddlan
If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, Howell
Jehovah, our Saviour and Friend, Prothero
Praise the Lord, Randegger
O God Thy Temple we repair, Prothero
Te Deum, Gerrish

A banquet followed the work and the return home was made late at night.

The thirty-second degree officers for 1912 are:

S. P., Charles C. Smith.
H. P., Albert R. Junkins.
J. W., John K. Hatch.
J. W., Benjamin Green.
Treasurer, Frank L. Pryor.
Secretary, Fred B. Coleman.
M. C., Frederick Watkins.
Hospitaler, G. Fred Drew.
C. G., Frederick W. Cross.
Tyler, M. Henry Gregg.

ROYAL ARCANUM BALL NEXT MONTH.

The committee in charge of the annual ball of the Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, have arranged for Wednesday evening, February 14, and have engaged Durvey's orchestra of Lynn.

They say "No News is good news," but that doesn't go in The Herald office.

NEWBURYPORT HERALD PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE

The plant of the Newburyport Herald was destroyed by fire on Thursday afternoon. The fire started in the second story of the Herald building and two alarms were sounded, but the fire had sufficient headway to completely gutter the building before the department could make any impression.

The loss to the Herald will be $10,000 and about half as much on the building.

Advertise in the Herald.

Duke of Connaught's Party Photographed On the Metropolitan Tower, New York.

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This picture was taken on the tower of the Metropolitan Life building while the Connaught party was making a sightseeing tour of New York. Inserted at the lower left is the Duke of Connaught. The others are, from left to right, Miss Evelyn Pelley, lady in waiting; Whitelaw Reid, Lieutenant H. C. Lowther, the duke's military secretary; Princess Patricia, Captain Rivers-Bulkeley, aid-de-camp, and the duchess.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1912.

A special from Washington to a Boston paper says that the Democrats are going to invade New England this fall and carry on a hustling campaign, their national committee being abundantly provided with speakers and funds. The chairman of their congressional committee takes a very optimistic view of the party outlook in this region and says that, while the Democrats may gain seats, they certainly will not lose any. We observe that his optimism stops at the southern boundary of Vermont, which shows that in the fervor of prophecy he has not forgotten caution.

The Portland Argus says: At last there is "something doing" in the matter of preserving the White Mountain forest range. Gov. Bass of New Hampshire has bought the north portion of the Notch for the state, and the outlook is regarded as favorable for the purchase of the Presidential range by the federal government. George O. Smith, director of the geological survey, it is believed will give a favorable report in the early spring, in which case the forestry department will without doubt recommend some land in the White mountains for purchase. Such, at least, was the program brought to light during the recent meeting of the forestry people from various parts of the country in Washington.

Charles S. Hernly, president of the New Castle, Ind., Industrial Association, has just given the Senate post office committee an interesting recital of industrial development. He said that New Castle was a sleepy country village with a population of 3,406 in 1900. It is now a thriving city having about twenty five important, diversified industries and a population of something more than 15,000. Though houses have been rapidly built, last year an automobile company, employing 2000 hands in their plant, found it necessary to invest $150,000 to provide homes for their employes. The success of New Castle caused many other towns to follow its example. Mr. Hernly's services have been asked by commercial clubs in nearly every state. Under his direction, Brazil, Evansville and other Indiana cities have succeeded in locating important industries.

Mr. Hernly said that one of the first things they did not do was to send for a lot of mail order catalogs. Lack of public spirit, he said, would deaden any town. Local merchants had always been active in such development. Any system which disables them from helping in such movements, supporting their local newspapers and extending credits necessary in growing towns will result in decreased home markets for farm products, labor, etc. Lands near a live town are worth much more than lands near a dead town.

BIRD'S EYE VIEWS

Col. Harvey is not the only democratic publisher of whose literary style Prof. Wilson finds occasion to disapprove.

The contentions in South America are most important, because of the foreign interests they incidentally involve. South America is a trouble factory in which the by-products are likely to be of more consequence than the regular output.

It is a rare rhetorical deftness that enables Henry Watterson to exercise a tremendous influence without risk of being called a party boss.

The objection to the beef magnates results from the fact that they got too much action out of their various peace conferences.

It is difficult for Congress to figure out a line of appropriations that some of its membership will not regard as a waste of money.

Oscar Hammerstein is said to be complaining because London is not more liberal in the support of grand opera. Hammerstein is not content with being one of the few impresarios who have managed to avoid going broke.

Rather careless of a business man like Mr. Carnegie to go away from that Stanley committee session and overlook his $28.70 change.

Whatever may happen to Hitchcock he has filed a claim which future discussion will have to recognize as the man who said it first.

One reason why T. R. does not positively and conclusively state whether he is a candidate may be that he is waiting to find out.

That January snowfall was a strong standpatter, but was compelled to yield at last.

Dynamite threatens to make cyanide look almost harmless by comparison.

Street car passengers want to be transferred, but not by methods so violent as those of the gas explosion.

It may as well be written down as a permanent admonition: "Nobody loves a muckraker."

The days are lengthening and spring is on the way.

General enlightenment and prosperity go hand in hand.

No special interest should be allowed to dominate in state or nation.

That first robin has been seen. Some people have a wonderful imagination.

How many days did you keep up that diary that was given you on New Year's day?

Senator La Follette is discovering there are other good-sized nebbles on the beach.

Some politicians are planning to go on the stump later in the year. Others are already up a stump.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

An Endowment Policy an Asset

The decision of Judge Dodge of the United States District Court that an endowment policy, made payable in the first instance to the person whose life is insured, is an asset of a bankrupt and must pass as such to the trustee will interest a large number of people who carry this form of insurance. The ruling seems just because the policy represents money that, under certain conditions is due the policy holder. Had the policy been payable to the man's wife or other beneficiary the ruling without doubt would have been that the policy was not an asset.

When a person takes out an endowment policy his usual attitude of mind is that he expects to live to enjoy the money due him at the end of the specified term. It is one of those policies, he argues to himself under which one doesn't have to die to win. An endowment policy made out in favor of the person paying for it is just much money and interest laid aside each year, and it is no surpise that Judge Dodge should have recognized it as a constructive asset.

The moral is to have your endowment policy made out to some other beneficiary and likewise to avoid being brought into a bankruptcy court.—Boston Globe.

The Telephone Problem

The Department of Justice has before it a nice legal question presented by the petition that action be taken against the American Telephone and Telegraph Company on the ground that it is organized as a monopoly in violation of the Sherman Anti-trust law. If it is a monopoly it is so by the nature of its business, but it by no means controls the entire telephone business of the country.

The number of telephone companies serving a community does not necessarily assure the people residing in that district better service. Instead, it usually leads to confusion and causes the consumer more expense by requiring him to stall more than one service.

The history of the consolidation of various telephone companies has come about because this business is best administered when under one control. If the Department of Justice should successfully prosecute the telephone holding company, for that is what the corporation in question is, will emerely succeed in disorganizing a body which assures efficiency and will leave throughout the country scattered units that very soon, instead of working together for the good of the public, will be serving selfish local ends.

If there is such a thing as a natural and legitimate monopoly it is the telephone, and it is by no means certain that it was the purpose of the Sherman Anti-trust legislation to prevent it. There are so many doubtful industrial combinations that should receive attention first that it would seem as if the telephone business might be sent to the heel of the docket.

Better than prosecution of this monopoly would be the passage of real regulative legislation that would amply protect the public.—Boston Globe.

Torpedo Boats Stood the Storm

The recent storm which the torpedo boat destroyers McCall, Roe and Paulding encountered off the coast of Bermuda, although a most perilous adventure for the smaller boats, was a great test of the durability of the destroyers, and it was said by officers who were in council at the Brooklyn navy yard today that the design of these boats has been completely vindicated.

The torpedo boat destroyed was designed by Naval Constructor R. H. Roberts, who is at present detailed in the navy department in Washington, and at the time the design was submitted to the department considerable discussion arose over the durability of the proposed boats in encountering heavy seas. The torpedo boats were not originally designed for sea-going purposes. They were intended for the protection of the battleships while in port.

The battering which these boats recently received by the heavy seas, it is said has proved these boats to be superficial in structure and although the bridges were under water during the greater part of the storm's duration they successfully withstood the test.

Lieut Comdr. Arthur McArthur, in command of the McCall, which had been reported lost, talked freely regarding the difficulties encountered during the trip. He stated that on January 5, the approximate position of the McCall was latitude 39.10 north and longitude 61.30 west, and at that time the boat was headed for Bermuda. On that date the destroyer encountered a wind which was blowing about 87 miles an hour. The wireless apparatus was not working and the operator found it impossible to communicate with any of the other vessels or the shore "About 135 miles from Bermuda," said the commander "on the morning of Janury 10 we sighted and spoke to the batleship Connecticut and we anchored off Bermuda on the afternoon of January 11.

During these five days there was practically no sleep for the officers on men. Two of the officers were on on the bridge of each destroyer at all times and the vessels were more than 20 miles apart when they encountered the storm. During the trip the Paulding ran into a heavy hailstorm. "The hailstones," said one of the officers of the destroyers, "were extremely large and at times we were completely blinded.

During the hight of the storm the Paulding lost one of her anchors and two boats. She was finaly picked up by the battleship Michigan, about 30 miles north of Bermuda. Men were knocked from the wheel several times and every man on the boat was completely drenched.

The three destroyers arrived at the Brooklyn navy yard Sunday. Their smokestacks were torn, bridges bent and their decks swept clean of all movable articles.—Brooklyn Eagle

The Long Arm of Justice

No very long time has elapsed since Davie, the swindling broker, came to the end of his rope at Rio Janeriao and was drawn to serve a long sentence, and before the moral effect of that occurred has had time to wear away two other arrests of local interest have come to reenforce it. Frank J. Linehan, who fled the city while under indictment for larceny, forgery and conspiracy to rob the city of Boston, has been arrested at New Orleans, and Michael J. Coyle, who is accused of embezzling the funds of a secret society has given himself up to the police at Michigan city, Ind. Neither of the three men took much money with him when he left Boston, nor does either seem to have greatly enjoyed his wanderings in the character of a fugitive from justice. Davie is known to have gone hungry and slept out of doors. Coyle seems to have departed and remained in an almost penniless condition. Linehan was probably as badly off as the others, else he would not have permitted his family to be evicted, the other day, from their home at Mattapan.

Of course the foolishness of these men was not first demonstarted by their running away. It began when Davie stole his patrons' funds and when, as is alleged Linehan and Coyle committed offences that placed them within the grasp of the law. But the supreme idiocy of their behavior was shown by the manner of their attempts to evade the consequences. Linehan, for instance, seems to have thought he would be safe in Chile, with which country we have no extradition treaty covering the offences attributed to him. As a matter of fact, however, that republic would probably have given him up on the ground of international courtesy, even had he succeeded in reaching his goal. And all the chances were against his coming to the journey's end, since every Central and South American Government had been warned against him and he had actually been traced as far as Panama, when, in sheer desperation, he doubled back to the United States.

In this age of the world there is not much hope of escape for the man pursued by justice. He has forsaken the backing of friends who for old times' sake would try to help him. When he approaches a strange community he bears the burden of a guilty secret that forbids him to display the frankness which wins new friends. He durst not make approaches, because in every man he sees a detective prepard to lay a hand upon his shoulder. Under the strain of secretiveness and apprehension—and it may be of remorse—even the nerve that enable him to commit a crime forsake him. And when at length he gives himself up or is apprehended, he is in worse trim to fight for his liberty than he would have ben had he submitted to arrest in the first place and spent the months preceding his trial in the Charles street jail.

It is well that all this should be so that the punishment for crime should be increased when criminality is attended by cowardice. If we may attribute any modicum wisdom to a man who is plausibly accused of larceny or forgery we may say that the sensible thing for him to do is to go before the Court and take the punishment, if any, that may be awarded him. Sooner or later, if he is guilty and when in the meantime he condemns himself to the torments of a hunted fugitive he pays a double price for his ill-gotten gains. Doubtless Davie is happier in State Prison than he was while starving at Rio Janerio. Probably Linehan and Coyle are to be congratulated on falling into the hands of the police. At any rate they will soon know the worst. But, to the tortured consciousness of a man who is "wanted" the worst is always to come.—Boston Transcript.

CRUIKSHANK WILL FACE THE MUSIC

New York, Jan. 25—Capt. Darton W Cruikshank, engineer and soldier, who disappeard from his home at Potsdam, N. Y., allowed his wife to believe he had been drowned in the St. Lawrence river and lived in New York city nearly two years under the name "Donald Douglas," returned today from Porto Rico and announced he had come back to "face the music.'

He sailed for that island about two weeks ago simultaneously with the exposure of his masquerade, Capt. Cruikshank admitted his identity today for the first time, but denied there was any truth in any of the stories "printed about me in connection with women."

When he landed from the steamer Caracas in Brooklyn the captain made an effort to run away from his would be interviewers but they followed him to the offices of his counsel in Manhattan, where he finally gave out a signed statement that he intended to go back to his family and "face the music."

This was supplemented by a verbal statement by Percival Whipple, with whom he was associated in engineering. Whipple said Cruikshank had satisfactory explained his conduct.

"At the time of his first disappearance he had just suffered a great disappointment in a business enterprise" said Whipple. "I am satisfied that this turned his head. He could see no other relief except to wipe himself out completely and be known as dead.

"He is going to Potsdam to consult with his family. He will return this week and when he does he will make a statement which will clear up this whole strange proceeding and make it plain why he acted as he did."

Theory and Practice

The founders of this government were past masters in statecraft. As the various papers in the "Federalist" show, the working of the various institutions was reasoned out in advance. And surely one would think, the men who created the Senate, the Supreme Court, and the electoral college ought to have foreseen the result of their toil. But as a matter of fact, time has played havoc with those authoritative forecasts. Each of the unique institutions has expanded, or shrunk, till it bears a faint resemblance to the ideal has grown greater and greater though the first Chief Justice (John Jay) resigned in 1795 and declined reappointment in 1801, on the ground that the court could never have real weight and dignity, because its organization was deflected. The Senate is today as regards outward form just what it was in the beginning. Yet the direct election of senators will soon alter the spirit of the upper house. The electoral college was to choose the President of the United States and choose him in such fashion as to preclude the base methods that were thought to follow pure democracy, as the shadow follows the substance. But, alas, the forever fixed and the electoral college quickly became a mere registar of the popular choice.—New Orleans Times Democrat.

THE REPTILIAN PRESS.

(From the Lawrence Telegram.)

Lawrence people have seen certain Boston papers head up every little incident in this present situation in this city in such a way as must make the people outside the city believe it was like Paris during the Commune, or Pekin when the foreign legations were besieged during the Boxer uprising.

Knowing the amateurish and easily excited natures of most of the "cubs" who serve up stuff for such wild journals and who write the headlines for them, most newspaper men merely smile and shrug their shoulders when they read great flaring headlines about bloody battles in the streets of Lawrence, of cannon being turned on the strikers, about thousands starving and robbing bakeshops and other similar rot.

But no decent newspaper man but feels ashamed for his calling when he learns about the full details of those cold-blooded cases of dynamite "planting." There was a case of baseness or assinity that admits of no defence except such as are offered in behalf of degenerates or paranoiars.

To try to fasten on innocent people a dastardly crime is something that has always been considered beyond the pale of forgiveness, as an informer who swears away the lives of those he induced to commit a murder is considered beyond forgiveness on this side of the grave.

Lawrence considers the great strike quite a handicap, but it considers the outrageous exaggeration of the conditions of this city that have been published in certain Boston papers a far more grievous burden than the strike. They are plainly calculated to inspire susceptible people to deeds of violence that never would have been thought of but for such anarchistic articles and headlines.

We trust the reliable portion of the state press will watch carefully and report fully the court developments in that case of the "finding" of dynamite which was a feature of the "news" in the reports sent from this city last Saturday and Sunday.

Don't wait for Luck to fall into your lap. Take a firm grip on Opportunity.

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KITTERY LETTER

Breezy Items from Village Across the River

Kittery, Jan. 26

Last evening at the regular meeting of York Rebekah lodge, No. 3, I. O. O. F., the officers for the year of 1912, were duly installed into office by District Deputy President Etta M. Keene, and District Deputy Grand Marshal Virginia Williams, and the following suite of grand officers:—

Grand Warden, Cora B. Thompson.
Grand Recording Secretary, Iona B. Call.
Grand Financial Secretary, Mae I. Googins.
Grand Treasurer, Alice M. Caswell
Grand Inner Guard, Hattie Adams.
Grand Herald, Marion Philbrick.
Grand Chaplain, Louise Donnell.

Following are the elective and appointive officers:—

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Vice Grand, Nellie Trefethen.
Recording Secretary, Almenia McIntire.
Financial Secretary, Abbie Philbrick.
Treasurer Annie Boulter.
Warden, Grace E. Moore.
Conductor, Martha H. Rounds.
Inside Guard, Lillian Standish.
Outside Guard, C. A. Gerry.
R. S. N. G., Etta M. Keene.
L. S. N. G., Virginia Williams
R. S. V. G., Cora Thompson.
L. S. V. G., Shirley Smart.
Chaplain, Florence Parker
Pianist, Mabel Shapleigh.
Degree Master, George H. Marden.

Owing to the death, less than a week ago, of a member of the order, the usual installation supper was indefinitely postponed. The noble grand presented Grace W. Chick, the retiring officer, with a past grand's regalia.

Miss Lillian Goodrich is restricted to her home by a severe cold.

Regular meeting this evening of St. Aspinquid Tribe, I. O. R. M., at Grange hall Mrs. Joseph T. Waite of Rogers road is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hannibal of Beverly, Mass., have returned home after a visit with relatives in town.

Albert Sprague sang at the old folks' concert in Eliot last evening. He also rendered solos at the funeral of Mrs. Theodore Keene at Kittery Point on Wednesday.

Sunday Feb. 4, will be observed as Christian Endeavor day by the local society, and a fine program is being prepared for this time, including a debate, readings, and good music.

R. H. Anderson of Stimson street is restricted to his home, the result of a fall and severe wrench, while at his work at the navy yard. Last week he wrenched his back, while lifting and on Monday while descending a narrow and steep stairway on one of the ships, in some manner slipped and fell to the floor below receiving a severe shaking up, which will necessitate his remaining from his work about two weeks.

A force of men is employed removing brown tail moth nests from the trees along the highway.

Albert N. Cheney of Haverhill, Mass., who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. George O. Wilson of Wentworth street for the past week has returned home.

John Lesage of Philadelphia, Pa., was a recent visitor here, his former home.

Whipple lodge, I. O. O. F., are planning a big time for some time during the month of February.

Mrs. Walter Philbrick of Pine street is able to go out after a ten days' illness.

The thermometer registered 14 degrees below at 6 o'clock this morning.

Regular end week prayer meeting this evening at the Second Methodist church.

D. G. C. Charles N. Hurd of Berwick will officially visit Constitution Lodge, No. 88, K. of P., next Tuesday evening and install the officers elect for the ensuing term.

ALDRICH IN BOSTON

A writer in the Boston Herald has the following to say about Thomas Bailey Aldrich, Portsmouth's distinguished son:

Thomas Bailey Aldrich was never a thorough Bohemian. His early associations were not a character to make him one. He had a good home for a time in New York at the house of his uncle—not the one "'round the corner." Many of his associates at Pfaff's never enjoyed a like felicity. He was employed in an editorial capacity at the Home Journal in the days of N. P. Willis and George P. Morris. Thomas W. Fitch, who married Gen. William T. Sherman's daughter—to whom the Khedive sent diamond for a bridal gift—was an office boy there at that time. He went into the navy afterwards. There was no Bohemianism in the polite atmosphere of the Home Journal when "Babie Bell" was published.

I visited Pfaff's one night late in 1860 or early in 1861 just before the breaking out of the civil war. In a recess under the sidewalk the Bohemians were assembled at a long table and Wal Whitman sitting at one end. Some of the group were matching pennie, and while they were so doing, Aldrich, young and dapper came in and made some humerous remarks about the performance. I did not know him then though I know him well enough in Boston afterwards. And what a luckly fellow he was! He came here under the wing of James T. Fields. Both were originally from Portsmouth, N. H., Aldrich was first made editor of Every Saturday and then succeeded Fields as editor of the Atlantic Monthly. While Edwin Booth lived in a house in Chestnut street, where his daughter Edwina was married, I used to see Aldrich and the tragedian at the Old Elm in Tremont street.

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Song, "Mandy Lou," Elsie Walker.
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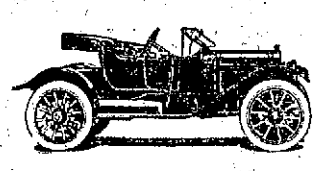

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BOWLING

Poehler Accepts Challenge of Waite of Concord and Will Roll Him for $100--Steam Engineering Team at Yard Will Bowl--Other Matches.

The following has been received by the Sporting Editor of the Chronicle: "A team representing Steam Machinery Division accepts challenge if the Clerks in the Accounting office, and they will bowl them on January 31."

Harry Mowe, the manager of Paul Poehler of this city, has accepted the challenge of Walter Waite of Concord, for a match at candle pins, and on Thursday posted $25 with the Sporting Editor of the Manchester Union, through whom Waite issued his challenge for the match. He will roll him for a purse of $100 or more, twenty strings, ten in this city and ten at Concord, and will make the side bet anything Mr. Waite wishes. There is one condition that the agreements for the match be signed before Monday, Jan. 29.

The Shipfitters at the navy yard have organized a bowling team and have issued a challenge for the Storekeepers, the match to be arranged at the convenience of both teams.

The clerks from Beane's and the clerks from Green's drug store will roll this evening at the Elks' alleys. The winner will roll the Lydston clerks.

The City Hall bowling team are to roll a second match with the Press on Monday afternoon.

The roll off at the Arcade alleys this evening will bring out a big field.

The following from this city have entered the bowling match to be conducted for prizes offered by the Boston American: Paul Poehler, John B. Renner, George R. Woods, Harold Ham and Hiram White. The matches are for five strings and can be rolled on the home alley, the condition being that notification be made in advance and that the certificate be signed by the manager of the alley and two reputable witnesses.

Chade and Rowan, a refined Sister act at Music Hall today.

No prophet is greater than his mother.

RAILROAD NOTES

The storage battery system for the Portsmouth Electric Railway at Rye will be completed about March 1.

Nearly fifty passenger cars were at the terminal division, Boston, during the past cold spell, where repairs were necessary caused by the heating system being frozen up.

Beginning on Monday next the 8.19 a. m. passenger train from the North to Boston will pick up milk at stations between Portsmouth and Ipswich which was formerly handled by freight.

Conductor Hobbs had charge of the extra passenger train with the Masons for Rochester on Thursday night. The party arrived back at 1.15 a. m.

The noon train from Boston arrived 25 minutes late today, being delayed by the pulling out of a drawbar at Rowley depot.

In the matter of the petition of E. C. Richardson et als., vs. Boston and Maine railroad, asking for better service on the Portland division between points in New Hampshire, the Boston & Maine railroad has filed a motion praying that if an order is made granting the prayer of the petition said order may provide that compliance with the same may be made by rearrangement of the schedule of said railroad. Upon the petition and motion a hearing will be held at the office of the commission in Concord, on Feb. 3, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

The public service commission has filed an opinion on the petition of the Grand Trunk road, lessee of the Atlantic & St. Lawrence railway company, requesting the commission to determine whether the public good requires that gates be established or flagmen stationed at various highway grade crossings over its lines in Berlin, as ordered by vote of the city council of the city of Berlin. A hearing was held at Berlin on Sept. 21, and the crossings in question were viewed by the commission.

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ELIOT

Rev. George A. Hill will preach as a candidate at the Eliot Congregational church on Sunday, Jan. 28, at both morning and evening services. The regular Christian Endeavor service will be held at 7 o'clock.

The first of a series of invitation dancing parties was held at Grange hall Thursday evening. There was a large attendance and every one voted it a great success. These dances are for the benefit of the John F. Hill Grange. Those holding invitations for the rest of the series are to be congratulated. The next dance will be held Feb. 8.

GUN CLUB HOLD SHOOT

The 1912 Gun Club held a shoot on Thursday at the farm of James Harvey. Some good scores were made by the crack shots of the club, following which the members enjoyed a spread to which all did ample justice.

KITTERY POINT

What Is Happening in the Harbor Town

Kittery Point

The steam lighter Atlas of Portland began the work of demolishing the Goucher wreck in Spruce Creek on Thursday morning.

Mrs. Marcia Roberts is confined to the house by illness.

Sleighing never was better than in this vicinity at present.

At the whist party given by the fire company on Wednesday evening at Firemen's hall prizes were awarded as follows: 1st, Arthur Hutchins; 2nd, Frank Hutchins; 3rd, Samuel Blake; 4th, Vernon Smith.

According to the most reliable information obtainable, appropriation for the continuance of work in Pepperell's Cove seems assured in the forthcoming River and Harbor Bill.

Herbert Tobey participated in a sleigh ride party to Dover on Wednesday evening.

Charles Bedell is hauling wood for Charles Tobey.

Sailed, schooner John S. Beecham, Perth Amboy for Rockland, Me.

Mrs. Silas E. Woodbury is again able to be out, after an illness.

Mrs. Hiram Tobey attended the Rockingham Association of Free Baptist churches at Dover on Wednesday.

Oren Moore of Rockport, Mass., attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Sarah Keene, on Wednesday.

T. Chester Cutts has engaged the two ice houses of Frisbee Brothers on their wharf for the coming season. He expects next week to begin cutting ice at Clarkson's Pond. It is said to be of unusual quality.

The next meeting of the new Five Hundred Club will occur at the home of Mrs. Fred Chase, Thursday, Feb. 1.

Mark W. Keene enjoyed a respite from work at the navy yard on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Manson of Rockport, Mass., attended the funeral of Mrs. Keene on Wednesday.

Another relapse into frigid weather on Thursday. Thermometers recorded from 4 to 8 degrees below zero in the early morning, but owing to lack of wind, the cold was not greatly felt in houses.

Arthur Kimball is enjoying a few days vacation from his duties at the navy yard.

Among those engaged in the strenuous work of destroying the wreck of the big five masted schooner near the Point bridge are Vernon Smith, Eugene Williams, Ralph Seawards, William Bowden and Warren Johnson.

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The cold wave which came along Wednesday night did not lose anything Thursday and with the sunset it began to get colder until at midnight the thermometer registered at the police station four below zero, at Eldridge Brewing company, 10 below, and in other parts of the city around ten.

This would indicate the coldest morning of the winter, and that is going some.

A BOSTON GIRL'S BUDGET

Hot for Early Morning Milkman in Hub's Anti Noise Crusade—Boston Art Club Gives New England Great Opportunity to see New Yorker's Pictures—An Assembling of an Impromptu Oyster Stew at a Railroad Station Opera Moves on to German Production and Pronunciation

Boston, Jan. 25.—The vicissitudes of Boston's climate frequently afford more or less merriment, as indicated in the experience of a commuter on a single trip from the South Station to his home—an affair which might be called "the pageant of the lost supper." On a recent evening when the frozen slush and icy sidewalks rendered footing extremely uncertain, an unfortunate gentleman, homeward bound with two quarts of oysters in a pasteboard box under his arm, slipped on the wet promenade of the railroad station and his package of oysters strewed themselves liberally for some distance. The nature of their substance did not improve the conditions for walking in that vicinity. While the commuter was walking from the train to his house, a little girl in front of him turned to enter her home and she top slipped. A quart of milk trickled rapidly into the butter from a mass of crushed glass. A man who witnessed this accident was hugely amused by it, and chuckled so diritifully that he lost his balance on a bit of ice and, with a sickening crash, a package slid from beneath his arm and distributed the contents of one expensive wine bottle within a few feet of the lost milk.

The erstwhile lonesome Charles River Basin is well patronized at one season at least, judging by the numbers of skaters who glide over it. Broad expanse these days. Bright colored sweaters and skating caps dot the quiet thoroughfares in the vicinity of the Basin with gay spots, and the more perfect ice surface of the Arena has a strong competitor in the open air of the Back Bay playground.

Bostonized opera, which has hitherto confined itself to Italian and French productions, is blossoming out in German, Humperdinck's "Maenchen and Gretel" being the first to be thus honored. The staging of "Pelleems et Melisande", thought by opera goers to be the finest thing yet accomplished, is being out outdone in the German production, if the preparations count for anything. An interesting factor in the presentation is that the two title roles will be assumed by young American singers who have lately attained fame, Bianice Fisher and Jeska Swartz.

The noisy milkman is again in hot water. This time the exclusive Back Bay is handing him his in the shape of abuse of his matutinal habits and customs. Something has got to be done in the matter, according to long suffering and nervous high brows who demand that they have peace and quiet during the wee small hours of the night. The situation makes for the funny man his opportunity. Suggestions have, of course, been offered for rubber tiring vehicle and their drivers, padding bottles and hanging lemons to the gate post to spoil the delivery man's whistle. Other suggestions of delivering the milk in the afternoon have been made, and meetings have been held to discuss the pros and cons. Since the Back Bay generally gets what its money wants there will doubtless be found a way to ensure rest and quiet to the householder of the favored section of the city.

It's one great chance of the year to see some of the works of New York and Philadelphia painters New England has between now and Feb. 10. The enterprising management of the Boston Art Club is vindicating its name this season in the excellent quality of the exhibitions offered in its galleries. Even those Bostonians who whispered in the privacy of their homes that the Art Club exhibitions were not absolutely of the highest quality of selections are now voicing their approval of the new methods of the executive committee. The current exhibition of modern American pictures leaves a distinctly pleasant taste in the mouth, and a feeling of gratitude to the members of the club who have made it possible to enjoy those outside artists, none of whom belong to the club itself, and only three of whom are Bostonians. Best of all the exhibition is absolutely free to the public—upon ticket procurable from any member of the club or, in ordinary circumstances, at the desk. Especially striking among the many good canvases might be mentioned Eugene E. Speicher's Portrait of Miss Helen Appleton, recently awarded the Thomas R. Proctor prize; Gardner Symons' "Where Brook and River Meet", its wintry tones making distinctly personal appeal at this season; Sargent's "Glacier Stream," another cold but convincingly fearless work; the warmer toned "San Juan Pottery" by E. Irving Couse, N. A., winner of the Isidor Memorial Medal; Thomas Dewing's silver medalled "Lady in Yellow" loaned by Mrs. John L. Gardner, and John W. Alexander's "Blue Bowl." Among the local painters Frank W. Benson's many hued "October", a decorative painting; Joseph DeCamp's "The Fur Jacket" and Edmund C. Tarbell's Portrait of Mrs. C., give the visitor a comfortable feeling of at homeness and of pride. The exhibition continues through Feb. 10. An exhibition by women painters at the Copley Galleries is also drawing considerable attendance and there are constantly new things going on at the Museum. The art season is at its height, and Boston's free art route is well trodden.

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JOINT ARRNAGEMENT OF TWO RAILROADS

Continued from First Page.

tained by the Boston and Maine and New Haven railroads in Boston and New York. It developed that the Boston and Maine is bearing 60 per cent, of the expense of conducting Boston office. The Boston and Maine is bearing but 20 per cent of the New York office. Mr. Hobbs said that when Mr. Mellen was elected president of the Boston and Maine, he himself was called to the president's office and told by Mr. Mellen that there would be many joint arrangements entered into and he desired that Mr. Hobbs should see to it that the interest of the Boston and Maine should be looked after. Mr. Hobbs said he had had occasion since that time to to exercise this authority several times, but only for small amounts.

The most important information developed during the day pertained to the assistance rendered the Boston and Maine railroad by the New Haven railroad. This was brought out by Allen Hollis, counsel for the state while questioning Mr. Hobbs. It might be expected that the New Haven would, after it acquired an interest in the Boston and Maine, turn all the traffic possible to that line. Mr. Hobbs said that this had been done and that the Boston and Maine business had been materially increased since the New Haven became interested. This accounts largely for the increase of business done by the Boston and Maine during 1911, as compared with previous years. Mr. Hobbs declared that never before in the history of the railroad in the same period had so much been spent in betterments, especially in added rolling stock.

But the New Haven, it appears, has been called upon to render financial aid to the Boston and Maine in the crisis through which it has been passing during the last year. At the close of the fiscal year that road owed New Haven $1,250,000 upon a note the New Haven having gone into the market and borrowed this sum for the purpose of lending it to the Boston and Maine. The loan was made at the same rate of interest that the New Haven paid for the money. Other loans made by the New Haven or its allied roads to lines allied with the Boston and Maine system now outstanding, amount to $1,625,000 more.

The financial condition of the Boston and Maine is also well illustrated by these loans. That of $1,250,000 mentioned above was to help meet the current bills and rentals of the Boston and Maine, and was made necessary by the increase in wages over previous years, together with the large amount expended to improve the service. This loan was made shortly before July last. At about the same time according to Mr. Hobbs, he was forced to go into the market and borrow five million dollars more for the same purpose. This amount was secured from the First National Bank of Boston at 4 per cent.

Falling Up Out of a Balloon.

If a man falls out of a rising aeroplane or balloon he will not go toward the earth, but will continue rising into the air for an appreciable time. If the air machine were stopped in its ascent at the time it could catch the man as he came down. If the airship were ascending at the rate of thirty-two feet a second the man would rise sixteen feet before beginning to fall toward the earth. Thus, by reducing the speed of its ascent, the vessel might keep by the side of the man and rescue him. The reason why the man rises is the same as the reason for a bullet's rising when shot from a gun into the air—both the man and the bullet are given a velocity upward, and it takes some time for gravity to negative that velocity. — Harper's Weekly.

Side Issues.

"Brother Hardesty, how much are you going to give for the support of the gospel this year?"

"Why, Brother Askum, if I ain't helpin' to support it when I give $15 to the organ fund, $6 to the chandelier fund, $5 to the carpet fund, donate two tons of coal, chip in for the janitor fund and furnish most of the groceries when we have a church supper of course I'll put down somethin'. How much do you want?"—Chicago Tribune.

Pa Was Right.

"Pa says you keep almost everything here," said the small son of the village editor.

"I guess your pa's about right," replied the owner of the general store.

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SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES

John Grier Hibben, Princeton's New President.

Professor John Grier Hibben, who has just been elected president of Princeton university, has been professor of logic at Princeton for nearly twenty years. He succeeds Woodrow Wilson, who resigned the presidency in October, 1910, just before he was elected governor of New Jersey. Since that time until now Princeton has been without a head. Recently Dr. J. M. T. Finney of the Johns Hopkins medical faculty had the offer of the presidency, but he declined.

Princeton's new head is a native of Peoria, Ill., and will be fifty-one years old next April. He was graduated from Princeton in the class of 1882. He studied at the Princeton Theological seminary and subsequently at the University of Berlin. In 1887 he was ordained to the Presbyterian ministry. From that time until 1891 he was pastor of the Chambersburg (Pa.) Presbyterian church, when he returned to Princeton as an instructor in logic.

Professor Hibben is recognized as one of the influential members of the faculty, on which he has served since 1893. He has published half a dozen books on the subject of logic.

Prudential's New President.

Forrest F. Dryden of Newark, N. J., the new president of the Prudential Insurance Company of America, is the only son of the late Senator John F. Dryden, whom he succeeds as head of the institution. He also took his father's place in the executive committee of the Life Insurance Presidents' association.

FORREST F. DRYDEN.

President F. F. Dryden is a native of Ohio, forty-seven years old, and entered the service of the company at the age of eighteen after a course at Phillips academy, Andover, Mass. He began as a clerk, then entered field work, and under the tutelage of his father gained an intimate knowledge of industrial insurance. He became secretary in 1900, third vice president three years later and last year was elected vice president.

The Horse Trader's Profit.

Judge A. A. Adams of the Indiana appellate court tells a story of a man who was a good horse trader, but through lack of mathematical education was unable to determine his per cent of profits.

"This man," relates Judge Adams, "made a good trade and he was anxious to know his real per cent of profit, so he consulted a schoolteacher.

"'I bought a horse the other day for $25 and sold it for $175. Now, what was my per cent of profit?' he asked the teacher.

"'That,' replied the teacher, 'was not profit. It was larceny.'"—Indianapolis Star.

NAVAL GUN POINTERS.

How They Are Aided by the Telescope Sight and Crossbar.

Perhaps very few outside of the service know of the important part that the telescope and the crossbar sight have played in the development of target work. Before the recent introduction of the telescope and the crossbar the gun pointer strained his eyes in the impossible effort to adjust their focus to three widely separated objects simultaneously, the rear sight a few inches away, the front sight a dozen feet distant from the rear one and the target anywhere from 1,500 to 13,000 yards. Ordnance experts worked over this problem, and the result was the introduction of the telescopic sight and the crossbars—two pieces of crossed wire at the end of the telescope. When these "cut" on the target the gun pointer presses his electric button and the gun does the rest.

It is eminently spectacular, this great gun battery practice. This is from a description given to the writer by an umpire whose station was on one of the ships towing the target: "Through the glasses you could see a needle-like dash from the firing ship, a vessel so far distant that her outline was but an indistinct blur upon the horizon. Having caught the flash, the glass is dropped, the eye goes to the stop watch, and you begin to count—one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven—and about then you will hear a faint drone which in the next fraction of a second swells into a mighty roar—the roar of an express rushing at the rate of thirty miles a second. With the roar come a flying of splinters from the target, a geyser leaping a hundred feet in air, then another and another, as the ricocheting shell glances from wave to wave, and then, last of all, the faint, faroff boom of the gun which had hurled the missile."—Harper's Weekly.

DECORATED HIS SHIP.

Sir John Had Little Paint and a Fine Sense of Humor.

It is not often the administration of England's naval affairs is attended with any humorous features, but on one occasion at least an officer of the royal navy contributed quaintly to the archives of the admiralty.

Once, before the days of steel ships, the allowance of paint in the royal navy was very small, and sometimes the officers had to pay large sums in order that their ships might maintain a decent appearance. Sir John Phillimore resorted to a funny expedient either to soften the heart of the navy board or, if that proved impossible, to express his opinion. He painted one side of his yellow frigate black and white and used the rest of the black paint in printing on the other side in large letters, "No more paint!"

The navy board wrote to call his attention to the impropriety of his conduct and signed themselves, as they did officially, "Your affectionate friends." Sir John made reply that he could not obliterate the objectionable letters unless he were given more paint and signed himself, in turn, "Your affectionate friend, John Phillimore."

The naval authorities then called his attention to the impropriety of the signature, to which Sir John responded, acknowledging the letter, stating he regretted that the paint had not been sent and ending, "I am no longer your affectionate friend, John Phillimore."

His frigate was permitted to retain her original yellow, and thus the navy board punished Sir John's impertinence.

The Last Laugh.

Hogan was refilling a clock. He was fairly successful in disposing of tickets in the shop where he worked, but he ran up against trouble when he canvassed his neighbors. Dropping in at a neighbor's house, he tried to sell a ticket on the clock.

"It's a fine timepiece and it'll look fine on yer whatnot or mantel," says Hogan rapidly.

"Gwan, the old clock doesn't run," replied the neighbor.

"Well," drawled Hogan, changing front completely, "well, perhaps yez won't win it and then ye'll have the laugh on the fellow who does."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Lengthening the Day.

A couple of laborers who had been working at the waterworks got into conversation.

"I say, Bob," exclaimed one of the men, "you are a bit of a scholar. Can you tell me who it was that ordered the sun to stand still?"

"I don't know," replied Bob. "Some son of a gun of a contractor, who wanted a big day's work out of the laboring man, you can bet."—London Answers.

Could Imitate.

Pater—Can you give my daughter the comforts to which she has been accustomed? Suitor—Yes, sir. I've breakfasted at your home, and I'm certain that I can complain about the coffee, read the paper, demand the discharge of the cook and announce that I'll dine at the club.—Toledo Blade.

Making It Pleasant For Her.

Elderly Relative (sniffing)—Bertha, is it possible that you allow smoking in your parlor? Married Niece—Certainly, auntie. You can smoke your pipe here if you like.—Chicago Tribune.

Plenty of Chances.

It never is necessary to hunt for long or to travel far if one is looking for a chance to do a good deed.—Chicago Record-Herald.

WILL BE OPENED ON MONDAY

The bids for the sale of the Exchange building on State street were to have been opened by the city council on Thursday evening, but owing to no meeting of that body the matter went over until Monday evening next.

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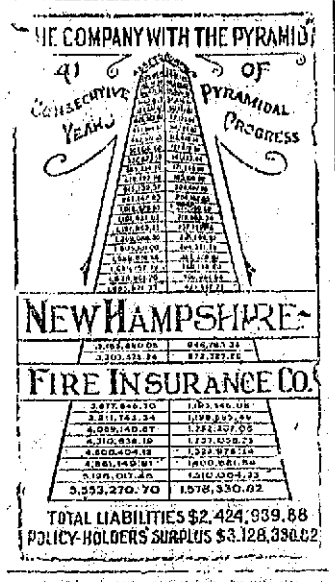

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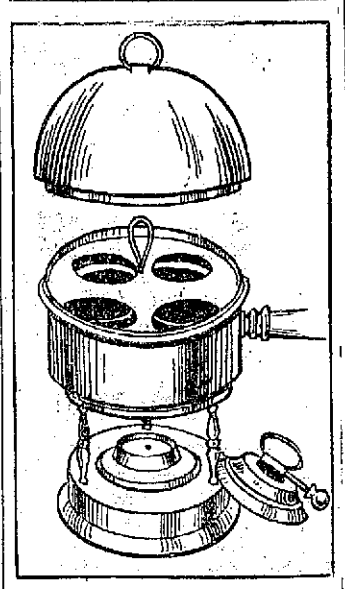

Since the use of the chafing dish has become so general cooking utensils that can be used at the table have come into great demand. One of the newest is the egg steamer or boiler designed by a New York man and shown in the illustration. This is all of nickeled ware and makes a good appearance. At the base of the frame is an alcohol lamp, and in the top of the frame sets the pan that holds the water. In the top of this pan sets a tray with openings to hold the eggs and a handle by means of which the tray may be lifted out and stood on the table on the little legs it carries for that purpose. A domelike lid covers the whole utensil and retains the steam. If the eggs are to be boiled the pan must, of course, contain more water than if they are steamed, but one process is as easy as the other with this device.

New England Apple Pie.

Use a deep pie plate, pare Baldwin or Greening apples, core and cut in thin slices; line your pie plate with pastry, place a layer of apples over this and sprinkle with brown sugar, then another and so on until the plate is full and heaped in the middle. Over the top dot bits of butter. Shake a pinch of salt over the whole and a dash of red pepper, which will give a rich, pungent seasoning that other spices will not; wet the edge of the lower crust, sprinkle with flour, put on the upper crust, press both edges together firmly. Bake a rich brown.

Spider Corn Cake.

Take three-quarter cup cornmeal and flour enough to fill the cup, a tablespoonful of sugar, half teaspoonful salt, half teaspoonful soda. Mix flour, meal, sugar, salt and soda together. Beat an egg and add half cupful sweet milk and half cupful sour milk and stir into the dry mixture. Melt a tablespoonful butter in a hot spider and pour in the mixture, pour over the top half cupful sweet milk, but do not stir it in. Bake in a hot oven twenty minutes and serve at once.

Baked Beef Heart.

Wash the heart carefully so as to remove all the blood; then wipe it dry and stuff the cavities with a plain bread or a sausage stuffing. Place it in a pan with slices of pork skewered on to the outside (if the plain dressing is used) and add a little water to keep the pan from burning. Bake about one hour in a hot oven, basting every ten minutes with the drippings in the pan. A thickened gravy should be served with it.

Parker House Rolls.

One quart boiled milk, butter size of an egg, half cupful of sugar, a cupful of yeast, a little salt. Mix thoroughly into two quarts of flour, let stand in a warm place until morning, then add half a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little water and rise again. Knead again about 4 o'clock to have warm for supper. Cut into biscuit and rise again, then bake twenty minutes in a moderate oven.

Gingercake.

Three-quarter cup molasses, a good tablespoonful lard in cup and fill with boiling water. Add to molasses. Sift together one and one-half cupfuls flour (more if needed), pinch of salt, a teaspoonful soda, a teaspoonful of ginger and cinnamon if liked. Beat well. Serve warm with whipped cream or use a thin chocolate icing and serve cold.

Banana Charlotte Russe.

Press through a sieve enough banana pulp to make one cup, add a quarter cup powdered sugar, two teaspoons lemon juice. Beat until very light, then fold in half pint whipped cream. Have ready some sherbert cups lined with sponge or delicate cake, fill with the prepared cream and chill before serving.

Onion Cough Sirup.

Six large onions, cooked in one quart of vinegar until soft, then strain and squeeze out all the juice. Add three pounds of loaf sugar and when cold add two ounces of tincture of lobelia. This is very good for coughs, sore throat and especially the croup.

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In the matter of the petition of E. C. Richardson et als., vs. Boston and Maine railroad asking for better service on the Portland Division the Boston and Maine railroad has filed a motion praying that if an order is made granting the prayer of the petition said order may provide that compliance with the same may be made a re-arrangement of the schedule of said railroad.

Upon the petition and motion a hearing will be held at the office of the Commission in Concord on Feb 3rd at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

CHARITY BALL DATE FIXED.

The date for the Elks' charity ball has been fixed for April 22. The committee are making arrangements for the ball and are providing more elaborate plans than last year.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Helen W. Ham will be held from the home of her son, John H. Ham, Hill street, Sunday afternoon at one o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Hatch Sure of a Place on the Olympic Team.

Sidney Hatch, the Chicago Marathon runner, who won the Yonkers (N. Y.) run Thanksgiving day, is one of the veterans of the game. He has won five or six Marathons and besides holds a record of running a hundred miles in 16 hours 7 minutes 42 seconds.

It was his fifth attempt to win the Yonkers run, and he was always in the first ten. Hatch will undoubtedly represent the United States in the next Olympic games at Stockholm.

American Yachts Abroad.

British yachtsmen and yachtsmen of the continent of Europe have had many opportunities in past years to see the best of the American built vessels, and the visitors from this country to the other side of the Atlantic have always attracted much attention and the models of the yachts have caused favorable comment. Long ago such craft as the Henrietta, Vesta, Fleetwing, Sappho, Dauntless, Coronet and in more recent years the Vigilant, Endymion, Ingomar, Atlantic, Hildegarde and Westward crossed the Atlantic, and some of these made remarkably fast passages. Several of them, notably the Vigilant, Atlantic, Ingomar and Westward, participated in the regattas, and all were successful. The Westward captured every race except one in which it sailed, and that one was a handicap, and the yacht had little chance of success.

New York's Baseball Plants.

More than $2,500,000 is being spent on new baseball plants for the fans of Greater New York. New stadiums are either under way or under contemplation for the Giants, the Yankees and the Brooklyn Superbas. These and their cost are: Giants' stadium, $1,000,000; Yankees' new park, $550,000; Brooklyn's new park, $750,000. Within a year the three fields in Greater New York will be able to seat 110,000 fans in one afternoon. The Polo grounds will seat 50,000, the Yankees' new park will seat 30,000, and the stadium to be erected in Brooklyn will accommodate 30,000.

Would Head Off Our Athletes.

The foresightedness of the governing athletic powers in the United States in taking advantage of their knowledge as regards preparations for the Olympic games in Stockholm this year apparently has many of the enthusiasts of other countries busy devising ways and means for putting a stop to the winning career of Uncle Sam in these world's championship events, which have since the arrival of a new epoch along such lines in 1896 gone to the credit of the track and field men coached along systematic lines, which obtain in the United States.

English Oarsman Gets Jewel.

Ernest Barry, the English professional sculling champion, was recently the recipient of a handsome silver cup and a diamond ring in recognition of his three victories for the English sculling championship, which were gained over G. Towns of New South Wales, W. Albany of Lea Bridge, England, and W. H. Fogwell of Australia. The first success was on Oct. 12, 1908, when Barry established a record for the Putney to Mortlake course, and the last on Sept. 11, 1911.

A Bred in the Bone Tiger.

Princeton university's football captain for next fall's eleven, Talbot Taylor Pendleton, is surely a born "Tiger." His great-grandfather was a member of the class of 1796, his grandfather was graduated in 1835, and he had uncles in the classes of '33 and '34. Pendleton's father went to West Point, but prepared at Lawrenceville, the Princeton prep school.

South Africans Take Up Hockey.

An artificial ice rink has been opened in Johannesburg, the ceremony connected therewith being performed by Lord Methuen. The structure covers an area of 40,000 square feet, the ice surface being 180 feet long and 80 feet wide. The club has a membership of 100. Hockey is to be played there this winter.

HELD A SOCIAL.

The members of the Christian Shore Social Club held a whist and dancing partyat their rooms last evening. Light refreshments were served.

Daniel Ryan and Co., in "The Son," a big dramatic success at Music Hall the first three days of next week.

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TIME TABLE

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Trains for Boston leave Portsmouth at 3.10 am, 6.25 am, 7.26 am, 8.19 am, 10.25 am, 10.55 am, 1.35 pm, 4.55 pm, 5.50 pm, 7.38 pm, Sundays 3.10 am, 8.00 am, 11.00 am, 1.42 pm, 5.50 pm, 7.49 pm.

Leave Boston for Portsmouth at 7.01 am, 8.41 am, 9.01 am, 12.00 am, 12.50 pm, 1.31 pm 3.31 pm, 4.47 pm, 6.01 pm, 7.31 pm, 10.01 pm, Sundays 4.01 am, 8.21 am, 9.01 am 1.10 pm, 7.01 pm, 7.31 pm, 10.01 pm.

Leave Portsmouth for Manchester and Concord, 8.34 am, 12.20 pm, 5.30 pm, Sundays, 7.36 pm.

Leave Manchester for Portsmouth, 7.52 am, 12.51 pm, 4.20 pm., Sundays, 8.58 am.

Leave Portsmouth for Dover, 5.55 am, 9.45 am, 12.22 pm, 2.31 pm, 5.32 pm, 9.15 pm. Sundays, 8.25 am, 10.55 am, 9.15 pm.

Leave Dover for Portsmouth, 6.58 am, 10.25 am, 12.58 pm, 4.25 pm, 5.22 pm, 6.55 pm, 9.07 pm. Sundays, 7.34 am, 1.00 pm, 9.07 pm.

Leave Portsmouth for York Beach, 7.45 am, 11.00 am, 2.45 pm, 5.42 pm.

Leave York Beach for Portsmouth 8.40 am, 9.35 am, 12.50 pm, 3.45 pm.

NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE.

Leave Navy Yard—7.50, 8.55, 9.10, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15 11.45, a. m., 1.00, 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30 5.00, *6.00, ||7.45 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15, a. m., 12.15, 12.30 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.35, 9.45, 9.55, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 1.10, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.45, 4.15, 4.35, 5.05 5.40, 6.10, ||10.00 p. m. Sundays—10.07, a. m. 12.05, 12.35, 12.55 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00.

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No one can dispute but Portsmouth and this section of New England got a genuine taste of winter this morning. While the glass registered lower than at any time this winter, the absence of a high wind did not make the cold as keenely felt as on some other mornings of the present month. The coldest place reported was t the Plains where the glass is said to have registered 20 degrees below. At the car barn of the Portsmouth Street railroad at 6 o'clock it registered 19 degrees below. At the pumping station it was 19 degrees below. The general average about the city was 14 degrees below. In the surrounding towns and places on the Conway branch of the Boston and Maine railroad the glass registered as follows:

Greenland	13 below
Newington	13 below
Dover Point	13 below
New Castle	7 below
Wallis Sands Life S. S.	11 below
Hampton Beach	5 below
North Conway	40 below
Madison	44 below
Mt. Whittier	40 below
Biddeford	38 below
Sandwich	42 below
Union	33 below
Milton	34 below
Sanbornville	32 below
Somersworth	33 below

FERRY GOES ON SPINDLE LEDGE

The ferry boat May, owned by James Boardman a river boatman went high and dry on the Spindle Ledge on the Kittery side of the river at 7 o'clock this morning. A heavy mist was on at the time and the man at the wheel could see very little ahead.

There were several sailors aboard the launch at the time on their way to the navy yard. All attempts to move the boat with its own power failed and the skipper whistled for help. Another boat was sent to assist and after anchoring a good distance away took the passengers off in a dory. The May was floated at high tide with very little damage to her hull.

EXCELS POEHLER'S RECORD

Fred S. Pine of Portland on Wednesday evening established a new world's candle pin record for ten strings, totaling 1117, which is six pins better than Paul Poehler recently made in this city in his match with Archie Walsh.

Another lot of those nice Juicy Navels, only 25c and 35c at Benfield's.

SATURDAY'S SPECIALS
IN OUR
Annual White Sale

25 cent Ladies' Black Cashmerette GLOVES, silk lined, all sizes, warm and durable
Sale price 21c pair

98 cent Aviation Caps for Ladies, made from heavy camel's hair, in white, red and combination colors. Very warm
Sale price 59c

25 cent Men's Cashmere HOSE, light grey in color, all wool, all sizes, medium or heavy weight
Sale Price **2 pairs 25c**

98 cent Ladies' Fast Black Petticoats, soft silky rustle, with two embroidered ruffles on flounce
Sale price 85c

THE BUSY STORE THAT GROWS **FOYE'S** 4 TO 8 MARKET SQUARE

LOCAL DASHES

Plumbers and steam fitters are on the jump.

Kippered Herring only 18c can at Benfield's

And the sand man is really out once more!

Large Florida grape fruit 2 for 25c at Benfield's.

The backbone of winter appears to be very strong yet.

Weather signals at the Shoals is pleasing news to navigators.

Try a 25c can of Crisco at Benfield's

Why not use Butterine? only 20c lb at Benfield's.

Arthur Horton today received a carload of E. M. F. and Flanders cars.

The weather of last night added a few more inches to the ice man's crop.

Oysters, clams, fish and provisions. We smoke our own finnan haddie. E. S. Downs, 37 Market St. All fish in glass cases. bc,tf

Good advice is all right when given to a man whose habits are bad, but a good scare will sometimes accomplish more

The Portsmouth Brewing Co. is having the boilers at its plant retubed. J. A. Quinn the boilermaker is doing the work.

Razors rehandled and honed, keys made, locks repaired, skates sharpened. Lowest prices. Best work. W. H. Horne 33 Daniel street.

Finnan Haddies right from the smoke house only 10c lb at Benfield's.

Monmouth Bacon and National Hams sold exclusively by Benfield's.

The board of health have only one case of measles under surveillance. Last year at this time Inspector Hepworth was kept on the jump.

1912 Cadillac starts the car without a crank. Electric crank and lights. All other systems are superfluous and make shifts. C&H11t

The first game in the interclass basket ball series of the Portsmouth high school was played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

Fancy wet packed Barataria Shrimp only 10c can at Benfield's, Saturday only.

The Littlefield automobile which figured in the fatal accident at Newington last fall, and has since been in this city pending legal complications will be taken to Dover today or tomorrow.

If something hits you from the inside that a thing isn't good to do, don't hurry about doing it. If you wouldn't do it when the person you like best is watching, it isn't a good thing to do alone.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Raphael Costello is passing the day in Boston.

Dr. George E. Pender is a visitor in Boston today.

James E. Russell of Dover was a visitor here today.

F. S. Parsons of Sanford, Me., was a visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Torrey passed Thursday in Boston.

Willis Varney of Newton Highlands was here today, the guest of Henry P. Payne.

Mrs. David Urch is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward Heustis in Charlestown, Mass.

Mrs. George Meloon of Austin street has been called to Keene by the death of a relative.

Mrs. Charles O. Hill of Vaughan street is reported as being seriously ill, with two trained nurses in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith of Waltham, Mass., are passing a few days in this city, having registered at the Kearsarge.

B. Frank Gardner is a passenger on the steamship Cleveland, that was in collision with the armored cruiser Colorado at Honolulu recently.

Mrs. Inez Benjamin and daughter and Miss Josie Griffin attended the ball given by the crew of the U. S. S. New Jersey at Charlestown, Thursday evening.

Captain John S. Carll of Lucullus company, U. R. K. P., and William Wallace attended the inspection of Frank E. Rollins ccmpany of Exeter on Wednesday evening.

Rev. Father John P. Moran curate at the St. Mary's church Dover, for the past two years or more has been transferred to the St. Mary's at Claremont as curate. It is understood that he will be succeeded at Dover, by the Rev. Father Peter McDonough who has been chaplain for some time at St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua.

AT MUGRIDGE'S

Bacon, small strips,	lb, 14c.
Smoked Shoulders,	lb, 11c.
Lamb fores,	lb, 9c.
Smelts,	lb, 15c.
Fresh Halibut,	lb, 15c.
Salt Pork, 5 lb. lots,	lb, 11c.
Baker's Cocoa,	lb, 18c.
5 lb. pails Lard,	lb, 15c.
Sorrento Clams in shell.	

The man who claims that our New England winters are getting much milder is not saying much about the present month.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO EMPLOYES AT THE NAVY YARD

Declared a Deserter

Paymaster's Clerk T. N. Clark has been declared a deserter and rewards have been offered for his return to the navy. He has been missing since Jan. 10.

Changes Among Officers

Comdr. H. F. Bryan, detached command the Prairie, to office naval intelligence, Washington, D. C.

Comdr. A. H. Scales, detached command the Hartford Janfl 26, to command the Prairie.

Lieut., junior grade, J. B. Goldman, to Naval Hopital, Washington, D. C., for treatment.

Chief Machinist R. J. Vickery, detached navy yard, Boston, to the New Jersey.

Ensign A. H. Miles, detached command the Yosemite, to command the Castine.

Chief Machinist H. E. Fish, detached the New Jersey, to navy yard, Boston, Mass.

Ensign J. W. DuBose, detached the North Carolina, to Naval Hospital, Las Animas, Col., for treatment.

Ensign C. H. Maddox, detached the Bailey, Feb. 5, to Harvard University for instruction in wireless telegraphy.

Vessel Movements

The Paul Jones, the Perry and the Preble are at San Pedro.

The Monaghan left Charleston for Guantanamo.

The Neptuns is at Sewall Point.

The Hannibal left Hampton Roads for Cape Gracias a Dios.

The Buffalo is at Amoy.

Engine Off Track

Yard locomotive No. 3 jumped the track leading to the dump on Thursday and came within a few feet of rolling over into the water. Today a road engine from the Boston & Maine railroad was sent to the yard with a few of the local wrecking crew and yanked the government switcher back on the rails.

A Call for Boys

Three boys were called this morning by the labor board for duty in the machinery division.

Slipped on Ship's Ladder

R. H. Anderson, a machinist of the machinery division, accidentally slipped on a ladder in the fire room of the U. S. S. Montana this morning causing a painful injury to his back.

A Big Lighting System

The naval station now has nearly 3,0 arc lamps on its lighting system. Fifty of this number are required for outside lighting. One shop of the machinery division is said to have over sixty.

More Changes On

Nearly all the machinery in the machine shop of the hull division will shortly be moved to the machine shop of the machinery division. This move is the result of a visit of Admiral Willits, inspector of navy yards, to this station on Wednesday last.

Injured on Wisconsin

E. H. Yeaton, a driller in the hull division, is away from duty owing to an injury to his hand sustained while at work on the turret of the U. S. S. Wisconsin.

Eight Punts Wanted

Four fourteen feet and four twelve foot punts have been ordered built aa the boat shop for general issue.

OUR SATURDAY PRICES

Pork ribs for roast	12 1-2c lb
Legs lamb 7 to 8 lbs	16c lb
Fores lamb	10c lb
Rabbits	50c lb
Sugar cured smoked shoulders	11c lb
Sugar cured bacon (strip)	16c lb
Sugar cured hams	15 1-2c lb
Spinach	30c pk
16 nice sweet oranges for	25c
Fancy native chickens	24c lb
A. R. Flour (1-8 bbl. bag.)	75c

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Red Cross Mattresses

are made of STRICTLY SANITARY materials in a factory operated on advanced sanitary ideas.
No shoddy used in any mattress
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Even our cheapest mattress is covered with pure white felt

Remember these mattresses cost you no more than other makes. See our window display

Portsmouth Furniture Co.,
CORNER DEER AND VAUGHAN STREETS.

"Sample" Hat Sale

We have a line of SAMPLE HATS, the regular price of which was $2.00, $2.25 and $2.50, which we have placed in one hat window and shall sell for a few days

At $1.50 each

These are not old style hats, but new, up-to-date hats, and the price of any hat in the window is $1.50. Pick out your size at once, as they will all be sold in a few days.

Also one lot of Boys' Winter Caps, sold for 50c to $1, to close for 25c

J. F. BERRY, Hatter and Haberdasher **41 Congress St.**
Agency of Amesbury Steam Laundry

I WONDER

When the politicians will get busy with necessary work leading to caucuses for the constitutional convention?

If some of the dogs running loose on Deer street should not be canned?

If we ever had better sleighing than at present?

What some of the brown tail moth chasers are not doing a term at Austins and Stones?

If the Isles of Shoals is not getting to be a very important locality for the government every day?

When the government will take further advantage of the islands and fortify the same?

If there was not a big howl among the business men of the city today on delayed freight from Boston?

If Kittery Pointers won't make an attempt to get that wood out of the way when the derelict schooner S. J. Goucher is broken up by the government?

Why most every office at City hall has a telephone excepting that of the mayor?

Why the 9 o'clock club don't bowl against some of the female arists on the alleys?

Why so many thermometers differed in this city at 7 o'clock this morning?

If the coal and ice men did not not wear a smile this morning?

How many mosquitos were seen in Haven Park last night?

If that robin man saw any of the birds at Rye this morning?

If that Rye man took that dip in the ocean today?

If the cold weather friend had what he wanted this morning?

How cold it was on the water wagon today?

If this weather is not reason for several falls from the cart?

What the Carnegie medal commission would do if it had a picture of all the heros in this city?

AT BASS' CANDY DEPARTMENT

Special Premier Chocolates, $1.00 lb.
Huyler's Chocolates, 80c. lb.
Park & Tilford's Chocolates, 80c. lb.
Foss' Milk Chocolates, 75c. lb.
Belle Mead Chocolates, 60c. lb.
Quality Chocolates, 60c. lb.
Bass' Special Chocolates, 50c. lb.
Bass' Special Chocolates, 35c. lb.
We sell our 35c. Chocolates each Saturday for 29c. lb.

NICHOL'S, SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

On Saturday we shall sell our 30 cent Nut Caramels for 24 cents a pound and our 20 cent Molasses Mixture for 18 cents. Remember the place, Nichols, cor. of Congress and Fleet streets. For Saturday only. J26h2t

Fancy Native Veal at Benfield's.

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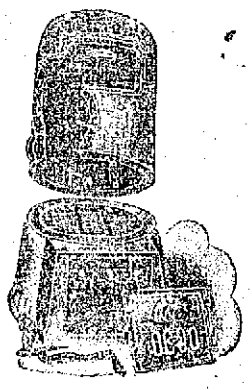

Did you ever consider that at some time it will be necessary to make some repairs on any heater you may select, would you select one now, that at any time you wished to make repairs, you would not be able to get them, or if you could, it would take 2 or 3 months, certainly not. Therefore buy the Gurney.

W. E. PAUL
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87 MARKET ST

Walden's Market

ELLIS G. WALDEN Vaughan, opp. Hill Street

Rose Milk - -	10c can
Cream of Wheat,	12 1-2c pkg
Evaporated milk,	3 cans 25c
Macaroni, -	3 pkgs 25c
Soda Biscuit	3 lbs 25c
Smoked shoulders	11c lb
Whole hams, -	14c lb
Roast pork, - -	15c lb

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